



NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Notice of Permit Applications Received Under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978 (P.L. 95-541)

AGENCY: National Science Foundation

ACTION: Notice of Permit Applications Received under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978, P.L. 95-541.

SUMMARY: The National Science Foundation (NSF) is required to publish a notice of permit applications received to conduct activities regulated under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978. NSF has published regulations under the Antarctic Conservation Act at Title 45 Part 670 of the Code of Federal Regulations. This is the required notice of permit applications received.

DATES: Interested parties are invited to submit written data, comments, or views with respect to this permit application by [Insert 30 days from date of publication in the Federal Register]. This application may be inspected by interested parties at the Permit Office, address below.

ADDRESS: Comments should be addressed to Permit Office, Room 755, Division of Polar Programs, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, Virginia 22230.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Adrian Dahood, ACA Permit Officer, at the above address or ACApemits@nsf.gov or (703) 292-7149.

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION: The National Science Foundation, as directed by the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978 (Public Law 95-541), as amended by the Antarctic Science, Tourism and Conservation Act of 1996, has developed regulations for the establishment of a permit system for various activities in Antarctica and designation of certain animals and certain geographic areas requiring special protection. The regulations establish such a permit system to designate Antarctic Specially Protected Areas.

APPLICATION DETAILS:

1. Applicant

Jennifer Martin

Permit Application: 2014-008

Brooklyn, New York

Activity for Which Permit is Requested

ASPAs Entry; The applicant seeks permission to enter several McMurdo Sound Area ASPAs to observe the natural environment, scientists working in the field and the historic huts in order to gain inspiration and insight for a poetry collection. The applicant will record her observations using pen and paper, small video camera, small still-camera, and laptop or tablet computer.

Location

ASPAs 121 Cape Royds; ASPAs 157 Backdoor Bay; ASPAs 155 Cape Evans; ASPAs 158 Discovery Hut; ASPAs 131 Canada Glacier; ASPAs 172 Blood Falls

Dates

November 7, 2013 to December 31, 2013

Nadene G. Kennedy
Polar Coordination Specialist
Division of Polar Programs

[FR Doc. 2013-20473 Filed 08/21/2013 at 8:45 am; Publication Date: 08/22/2013]